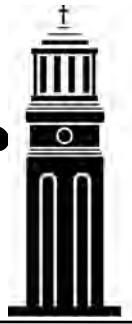


The Broadcaster

Rose City Park Presbyterian Church

April/May 2010



I read recently the season of Lent is the season when a good number of clergy sink into depression. There is some thought that the Lenten readings cause this to happen. For me the Lenten walk from Ash Wednesday to Good Friday is a difficult time.



Driving home from a recent church meeting, I was presented with several options for relieving stress. My usual tactic would be to go to WinCo, buy a box of powdered sugar donuts, eat them all before midnight and hope to sleep, aided by a sugar-induced coma. Or if it were daylight (which it wasn't), I would mount my Chinese-made bicycle, get on the trail near my home that parallels I-84 and fill my lungs with carbon monoxide while my Walkman blared in my ears. My last option would be to take Lovey Howl for a walk. With her brown eyes and wagging tail she imparts the message that she understands and loves me and will love me even more if she gets a Milk-Bone biscuit. (Not all love is unconditional.)

But this evening I did something new. I put a CD in the car player, threw back the sun-roof and let the music of the Portland Metro Band envelop me. The bass drum pulsated through my body and the blaring trumpets lifted my soul and spirits as they played the introduction to the 'Totem Pole March'. I felt the stress leave both body and mind and was transported to a time some 30-plus years ago when I played with the Hilltopper Band of Onalaska, Wisconsin.

Not long ago, I ventured with my trumpet, which I have been playing since October 2009 and went to a rehearsal of the Metro Band. I reclaimed a part of myself that evening that had been put away to become a pastor. For a while I have been a man in search of a band. Since my dad's death and his struggle with Alzheimer's, every time I forget a name I wonder if it's my time for early onset. It was also my thought that it would be a healthy and life-affirming move to join a band and get out with a new group of people. To live the abundant life that Jesus spoke of, I needed more than the evening church meetings and time spent doing Sudoku while at home.

So what does this have to do with Lent? For me I liken it to a resurrection of sorts. There has been a re-discovery of a passion and an attempt to do something new and, in some ways, out of my comfort zone. That CD transported me from an emotionally dark and life-draining experience to a purging and re-birth into that which is good and life-affirming. And isn't that part of what Easter is about?

So my friends – we continue our Lenten walk for a just a brief while longer. But then there is re-birth and Easter resurrection. And then my hope and prayer for you is that you will shout out with me – “Strike Up the Band!”

Grace and Zeal,
David

The Rev. David C. Dornack

ROSE CITY FAMILY NEWS

New Babies in Our Church Family

Brooklynn Rose Munson was born February 6th in Whitefish, Montana. Parents are Nick and Rose Munson; grandparents are Jim and Bobbi Munson.

Special Birthdays

Marion Pringle celebrated her 104th birthday on February 23rd to great fanfare and with friends and members of the media in attendance. See the bulletin board near the church office for photos and articles.

Thank You

A heartfelt thanks to the RCPCC office and all our friends for their comments and best wishes on the arrival of our new grand-daughter, Brooklynn Rose.

— Jim and Bobbi Munson

Thanks to all of you for your cards and prayers during the recent loss of my brother. It was very comforting to me. And a special thank-you to Donavan and David.

— In Christian love,

Vonda Thomas and family

On behalf of our family, we would like to say a big “Thank You” for

all your prayers, thoughts, and cards when our grandfather passed away. Knowing that the church family was thinking about us gave us so much comfort.

— Scott and Michelle Veazie

Directory Changes

Bob & Janet Balmer, 1518 SE 107th

Cathy Butts, jcat35@gmail.com

Becky Jewel,

rojewel@gmail.com

Charles & Barbara

Tomassene, 6125 SE Division St. Apt 212, Portland, OR 97205

Graduates

Please submit information on your high school or university graduate for the Summer issue of *The Broadcaster*, deadline May 16th. Please submit name, degree, institution, graduation date, and future plans if applicable. Please note: due to the volume of submissions, *The Broadcaster* can only include graduation announcements about graduates who grew up in or currently attend Rose City Park Presbyterian. Thank you for your understanding.

CONGREGATION MEETING CALLED

The Session has called a congregational meeting for Sunday, April 11th at 10 a.m. for the purpose of hearing the report of the nominating committee and electing church officers.

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS

Join us for our monthly birthday celebrations on April 25^h and May 23rd. There will be a birthday blessing during worship followed by a special treat during coffee fellowship provided by the Outreach Committee for those celebrating a birthday.

OFFICE HOURS AND HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Regular office hours at the church are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Please leave a voice mail if you phone the office and do not receive an answer. Rev. Dornack is out of the office on Mondays; Rev. Burkert-Kerr is out on Tuesdays.

The Church office will be closed on Monday, May 31st for the Memorial Day holiday.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION: OUR SECOND FIFTY YEARS

Following worship on Pentecost Sunday, May 23rd, we will conclude our year-long series of anniversary celebrations with cake and a presentation by church historian-emerita Ethel Rieken who will share the history of our second fifty years.

LOOKING AHEAD

- Junior Rose Parade, June 9th, 1 p.m.
- Ice Cream Sunday sponsored by the Dinghy Mariners, June 13th
- Youth Mission Trip to Toronto, June 26th – July 3rd
- All Church Picnic @ Blue Lake Park, June 27th
- Men’s Retreat, September 10th– 12th

HOLY WEEK AT ROSE CITY PARK PRESBYTERIAN

Maundy Thursday Worship, April 1st at 7 p.m.

We come together in a Tenebrae service with communion to remember the Last Supper when Jesus washed the feet of his disciples and established the ceremony of the Eucharist. Maundy Thursday worship truly prepares us to celebrate Easter's risen Lord three days later. Please join us and enter from the lower narthex. Doors and elevator open at 6:30 p.m.

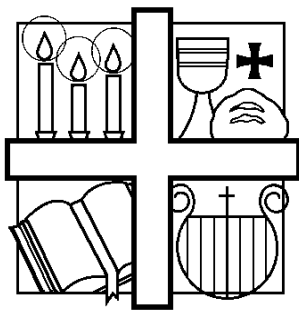
Easter Sunday Worship, April 4th at 10 a.m.

Join us for a festive communion worship service as we celebrate the resurrection of Christ. Worship music will feature the chancel choir, instrumental accompaniment and a surprise postlude.

This year we have been blessed with warmer weather and spring flowers are popping up everywhere. Please remember to bring those flowers to church on Easter Sunday. The flower cross that we create on Easter is an accumulation of individual flowers that, when put together, makes a beautiful centerpiece for our service. Just as Christ says that we are all parts of One Body, watch to see how your one flower becomes part of the whole cross. We will also be able to enjoy the lilies that our deacons will deliver to those on our visitation ministry after worship. Do come!



CHANCEL REMODELING PROJECT



On April 11th, the Sunday after Easter, the Session invites you to stay after worship to see and comment on the final design and to hear the plans for funding the chancel remodel.

You saw the preliminary dream plans. We listened to your concerns and made some changes. Initial estimates are now a final budget that can accomplish the task.

Some of you have asked why we are doing this project. When the RENEWAL 2009 campaign began, one of the primary concerns was looking to the future needs of our worship space. Our sanctuary has been remodeled before. The choir used to sit high in a loft over a baptismal font. The pulpit was an imposing presence in the center. A rail separated worship leaders from the congregation.

That changed in 1955 and again in 1980. Rose carpet gave way to orange. Railings were removed. The pulpit shared space with a lectern as lay participation increased. But the choir still climbs seven steps every morning. Some of our members find *any* steps difficult. And as we discovered during our Anniversary Sunday worship, our returning pastor guests found the front chancel steps treacherous. The only bathroom that is handicapped accessible is in the basement. It is time for a change.

But through the gifts of those who have gone before us and those given in their memory along with the gifts you made to RENEWAL 2009, that change is now possible.

We can look to a future where every member can participate in the leadership of worship, where every member's physical needs can be met, and where the beauty and tradition of our reformed worship and our heritage space can seamlessly blend with an as yet unknowable future with flexibility and grace.

BENCHES AND NATIVE GARDEN — MEMORIAL GIFTS COMMEMORATE MEMBERS

When you come to church, be sure to walk around to Hancock Street to see the recently installed benches and planters. Adhering to our criteria that our church grounds are welcoming, the Building & Grounds and Memorials Committees selected a local concrete designer, Ben Cunin, to create benches and planters that complete the landscaping design for Hancock. The fortified concrete is environmentally safe, scratch, stain and graffiti resistant. These outdoor furnishings have been purchased using memorial funds in memory of Betty Hering, Raymond and Myrtle Grexton, Mona Johnson, Vickie Ann Smith, Jan Waring, and Keith Wooldridge.

Also, take a look at the garden on the 45th Avenue side where native trees and plants are awakening from their winter dormancy. The native plants were purchased in memory of Barbara Miller who worked many hours tending our church grounds. In 2008, Sarah Circle provided the monies for the planting of the dogwood tree on Hancock and the vine maples on NE 45th. Memorial funds added to the purchase of the vine maples in memory of Clarence Richen.



Left: One of the two new benches on NE Hancock St. along with the new planters flanking the fellowship hall door.

Below: The new native species garden on NE 45th Ave. in early March.



MARINERS PROGRAM AT ROSE CITY PARK

The Mariners Program has been part and parcel of the Rose City Park Presbyterian congregation since the 1950s when more than a dozen groups met regularly. During the last 15 years, only five groups have continued.

But change has been brewing for a while, and recently representatives of the groups met to discuss how to expand the program and reach out to all members of our congregation. We believe many members of the congregation are interested in being part of this fellowship. If you would like to know more about the current status of the existing groups, you can review the Mariner Group reports in the Annual Report; excerpts are on the pumpkin-colored flyers in the narthex literature rack.

Later this spring there will be an informational meeting in the fellowship hall during Coffee Fellowship to ask questions of current Mariner Skippers and members and to discuss starting some new groups. Also, watch for information in the Sunday bulletins, in display cases around the church, or talk to members who are wearing “Ask Me About Mariners” buttons on Sundays.

PENTECOST

Pentecost – the traditional birthday celebration of the Christian church – is celebrated on Sunday May 23rd this year. Join us as we mark the close of our 100th Anniversary year with our traditional Pentecost red, cake, and a special adult education hour. Watch the Sunday bulletin for more information.



April

Thurs. 1st

Maundy Thursday

7 pm Communion Worship

Fri. 2nd

Good Friday

Sun. 4th

Easter

9:30 am Chancel Choir

10 am Communion Worship

No Education Hour

Wed. 7th

10 am Martha Service

7 pm Worship & Arts Comm.

Thurs. 8th

6:30 pm Christian Ed. Comm.

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Fri. 9th

10 am – 12 pm Writers

10 am RCPPC serves

Loaves & Fishes (L&F)

Sun. 11th

9:30 am Once-a-Month Choir

10 am Congregation Meeting

10 am Worship & Study

Tues. 13th

7 pm Sarah Circle

7 pm Build. & Grnds. Comm.

Wed. 14th

1:30 – 3 pm Searchers

ChristCare

7:30 pm Chancel Comm.

Thurs. 15th

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Sat. 17th

6– 8:30 pm Hollywood Idol

Sun. 18th

9:30 am Chancel Choir

10 am Worship & Study

Mon. 19th

7 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry

Tues. 20th

7 pm Session

Wed. 21st

1– 2:30 pm Lectio Divina

Thurs. 22nd

10 am – 3 pm Blood Mobile

CALENDAR

Fri. 23rd

10 am – 12 pm Writers

Sat. 24th

10 am – 12 pm Youth Sunday

Rehearsal

Sun. 25th

Youth Sunday

Birthday Sunday

9:30 am Chancel Choir

10 am Worship

11 am Youth Mission Trip

Auction

2 pm Bach Choir Concert

Mon. 26th

10 am RCPPC serves L&F

Wed. 28th

1:30 – 3 pm Searchers

ChristCare

Thurs. 29th

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

May

Sat. 1st

8 am – 1 pm Hollywood

Farmers' Market (HFM),

opening day

Sun. 2nd

9:30 am Chancel Choir

10 am Communion Worship

11 am Dollars for Donuts

Youth Fundraiser

Tues. 4th

6 pm Outreach Comm.

7 pm Personnel Comm.

Wed. 5th

10 am Martha Service

7 pm Worship & Arts Comm.

Thurs. 6th

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Sat. 8th

8 am – 1 pm HFM

Sun. 9th

Mother's Day

9:30 am Once-a-Month Choir

10 am Worship

Tues. 11th

7 pm Sarah Circle

7 pm Build. & Grnds. Comm.

Wed. 12th

1:30 – 3 pm Searchers

ChristCare

7:30 pm Chancel Comm.

Thurs. 13th

6:30 pm Christian Ed. Comm.

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Fri. 14th

10 am – 12 pm Writers

10 am RCPPC serves L&F

Sat. 15th

8 am – 1 pm HFM

Sun. 16th

9:30 am Chancel Choir

10 am Worship & Study

Mon. 17th

7 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry

Tues. 18th

7 pm Session

Wed. 19th

1– 2:30 pm Lectio Divina

Thurs. 20th

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Sat. 22nd

8 am – 1 pm HFM

8 am – 1 pm L&F Health Fair

on 45th Avenue

TBA RCPPC Dog Wash

Youth Fundraiser

Sun. 23rd

Pentecost

9:30 am Chancel Choir

10 am Worship & Study

Mon. 24th

10 am RCPPC serves L&F

Wed. 26th

1:30 – 3 pm Searchers Christ

Care

Thurs. 27th

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Fri. 28th

10 am – 12 pm Writers

Sat. 29th

8 am – 1 pm HFM

Sun. 30th

10 am Worship

Mon. 31st

Memorial Day

Church Office Closed

YOUTH NEWS

ELEMENTARY CHURCH SCHOOL

The Sunday School year continues through June 6th. The K-5th graders will have a short Easter unit and then close the year with an exploration of some of our most meaningful Scriptures.... the fruits of the spirit, Jesus as the vine and us as the branches, God as the potter, and centering ourselves in God.

There will be three Sundays when there will be no church school.

- April 4th – Easter Sunday
- April 25th – Youth Sunday. This is an opportunity to have younger children watch our youth in action within the worship setting and to start looking with anticipation to the time when it will be their turn.
- May 9th – Mother’s Day

Also, mark your calendars for June 6th when the children’s time will be a recognition of our amazing teaching volunteers. There are still openings for teachers. Don’t be shy; speak to Greg Balmer or Donovan to add your name to the roster.

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

Unless otherwise noted, all activities take place on Sunday morning following worship.

- April 4th – Easter, no class
- April 11th – Planning for Youth Sunday
- April 18th – Planning for Youth Sunday
- April 24th – Saturday Morning Youth Sunday
Rehearsal 10 a.m.
- April 25th – Youth Sunday & Work Auction
- May 2nd – Dollars for Donuts Fundraiser
- May 9th – Mother’s Day, no class



VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

Essential Peace: A New World is Possible, A New Portland is Happening

Rose City Park Presbyterian will join with BroadArts Peace Camp once again to create a summer opportunity for children aged 8-12 to explore “peaceful concepts, solutions, and perspectives.” Role play, theatre, arts and music will drive the curriculum. The camp will be in our celebration center and upstairs classrooms **August 2-6 from 9 a.m.– 4 p.m. daily.**

If you are interested, please visit the church web site www.rosecityparkpres.org, select the *Youth Activities Tab* and then click on the link provided for *Peace Camp Registration*. There you can sign up to receive registration information when it becomes available. (You may also e-mail the church office, and we can send you the link.) In the area where you can note what type of information you would like to receive, mark registration materials and, in the field marked “other” type in “Rose City Park Presbyterian Church.” When you receive that material, please submit your registration through the church office instead of online. Children of our congregation will have scholarships available to help cover costs.



SUMMER CAMPING

Summer camp opportunities abound! Families in our congregation recently received flyers with registration materials for the Presbytery of the Cascades’ slate of great summer camping experiences for children, youth and families. From the Cascades to the coast, the scenery for camping in Oregon is incomparable! The earliest camp, April 16-18 is a Counselor-in-Training leadership weekend for high school youth who would like to explore becoming camp counselors. Camps begin in earnest on June 11th and continue throughout the summer. Check it out at www.campcascades.org.

Discounted early registration ends after May 6th, so make your plans and register early. The RCPPC Christian Education Committee offers camperships in the amount of \$75 for any congregation member who participates in a Presbytery-sponsored camp this summer. Please check with Romalia in the church office for instructions on how to access these funds.

YOUTH MISSION NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

This summer the High School Youth will travel to Toronto, Canada for a mission trip. We will be gone from June 26th - July 3rd. This trip is through Youth Works, the same organization we worked with for our Chicago trip in 2008. Youth Works is a non-profit that organizes short-term, Christian-based mission trips throughout the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico. They believe “the most important thing we can do is to live out the love of Christ with all whom we meet.” Their mission trips reflect this focus on helping others and building relationships. The work in Toronto could be a variety of things including working with at-risk kids, visiting centers for the elderly or volunteering at soup kitchens and homeless shelters. It all depends on what the needs of the community are while we are there. Thank you for all the support you have given the youth so far, and be sure to mark your calendars with these upcoming fundraisers:

- April 17th - Reverse Raffle at Hollywood Idol
- April 25th - Youth Work Auction
- May 2nd - Dollars for Donuts
- May 22nd - Dog Wash



Watch the Sunday Bulletin for more information.

ALZHEIMER'S CONFERENCE OFFERS INSIGHTS FOR CAREGIVERS

The 12th Annual McGinty Memorial Conference on Alzheimer's Disease will be held on Thursday, April 15th in Tigard. This day-long conference for both professional *and* family caregivers will focus on the many facets of Alzheimer's disease: caregiving, research, communication, life-enhancing activities, and person-centered care. Featured speaker is Teepa Snow, nationally recognized Alzheimer's expert and educator.

Registration materials are in the narthex literature rack. Fees are \$85 for registrations before April 8th, \$110 for registrations received after. Scholarships and more information are available by calling 503-416-0201. On-line registration is also available: www.alz.org/oregon.

THE DEACONS' CORNER

One of the organizations funded by your generous giving to the Deacons' Fund is the West Women's and Children's Shelter. For over 28 years this Shelter has been serving victims of domestic violence in the Portland area. The West Women's & Children's Shelter provides many services for women and children, such as food, shelter and clothing, transportation assistance, health referrals and counseling. Statistically, the longer a woman stays at the shelter, the greater her chances of lifelong stability.

Thank you for supporting the Deacons' Fund!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

The American Red Cross, in partnership with the Hollywood Lions, will sponsor a Blood Drive on Thursday, April 22nd from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Check in at the registration area in the lower narthex and have your blood drawn in the Red Cross donation bus on NE 44th Avenue.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us and confirm for us the work of our hands; yes, confirm the work of our hands. Psalm 90:17

The knitting and crochet ministry of RCPPC meets every third Monday evening from 7 until about 9 p.m. Some are working on shawls to be given to those who need comfort in times of distress and trial. Others are creating hats for SnowCap Community Charities. All are welcome ... men, women, beginners and experts. Come share some warmth. Next meetings: April 19th and May 17th.

HOLLYWOOD FARMERS' MARKET OPENS

Our building partner, the Hollywood Farmers' Market, opens for the season on Saturday, May 1st. This May Day opening date is the perfect opportunity to pick up some fresh, locally grown flowers and to check out the other bounty our local farmers have to offer. Market hours are 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on NE Hancock Street adjacent to the church.

NEW BOOKS IN THE CHURCH LIBRARY

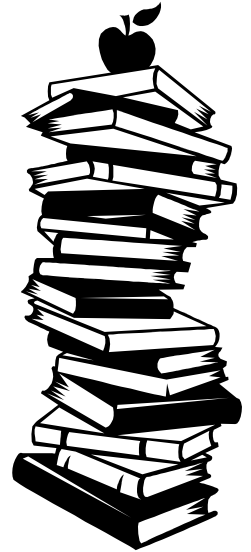
New books have been catalogued and are ready for check-out in the church library.

In the Main Library:

- ☞ *Listening to Your Life* by Frederick Buechner (daily meditations)
- ☞ *His Love is a Fire* by Brother Roger of Taizé (essential theories of the thinking of Taizé's founder)
- ☞ *How the Irish Saved Civilization: The Untold Story of Ireland's Heroic Role from the Fall of Rome to the Rise of Medieval Europe* by Thomas Cahill
- ☞ *Searching for God Knows What* by Donald Miller (biography and musings on Christianity by the founder of Reed's campus ministry, Oh, for Christ's Sake, and The Mentoring Project.)
- ☞ *Thus Far on the Way: Toward a Theology of Child Advocacy* by Eileen Lindner
- ☞ *The Jewish People: A Pictorial History* by Keter Books, Jerusalem
- ☞ *The Rising of Bread for the World: An Outcry of Citizens against Hunger* by Arthur Simon
- ☞ *Our Choice: A Plan to Solve the Climate Crisis* by Al Gore
- ☞ *Behaving As If the God in All Life Mattered: A New Age Ecology* by Machaelle Small Wright
- ☞ *A Bible Study on Becoming a Woman of Prayer* by Cynthia Heald

In the Children's Library:

- ☞ *Friends of God* by Sally Lloyd Jones
- ☞ *Bible Beasties*, by Babette Cole and Ron Van Der Meer
- ☞ *Big Thoughts for Little People* by Kenneth Taylor
- ☞ *Story of Jonah* by Alice Davidson
- ☞ *Signs of God's Love* by Jeanne Fogle



WOMEN OF THE CHURCH CELEBRATE 100 YEARS

In early March, over fifty women gathered in the church parlor to celebrate 100 years of women at work in ministry and faith at Rose City Park Presbyterian Church. Grandmothers, mothers and daughters, sisters, friends, former members and staff were in attendance. A program lifting up the work of women in the congregation, favorite hymns from our history, vintage hats, and a wonderful table spread with tea-time savories and sweets made for a delightful afternoon. Thanks to the planning committee and helpers: Kris Amling, Gail Black, Kathy Conklin (chair), Suzanne Gilliam, and Cindy Robertson with helpers Brian and Maggie Emery, Diane Hanken, Gretchen Johnson, Linda Reinhardt, and staff Glenda McKibben and Sarah Shay.



ADULT EDUCATION

- April 4th** – Easter Sunday, no education hour
April 11th – Chancel Improvement Committee: *Final Chancel Design and Funding Plans*
April 18th – Social Action Committee: *Reduce, Reuse, Recycle*
April 25th – Youth Sunday, no education hour
May 2nd – Communion Sunday, no education hour
May 9th – Mothers' Day, no education hour
May 16th – David Dornack: *Looking Ahead to July's General Assembly*
May 23rd – Anniversary Celebration: *Our Second Fifty Years* with Ethel Rieken
May 30th – Memorial Day Weekend, no education hour until fall

LECTIO DIVINA

To do its work, a book needs only the energy of a human spirit. Daniel J Boorstin



And it is even better to join that energy together in conversation. Join us at our monthly book group, Lectio Divina, on the third Wednesday from 1-2:30 p.m. in the chapel. We can control the temperature, and the quiet environment helps us hear one another. Upcoming dates and books:

- April 21: *How to Read Novels Like a Professor* by Thomas C. Foster
- May 19: *The Art of Racing in the Rain* by Garth Stein

Every month we start fresh with a new discussion, so it is never too late to join.

SARAH CIRCLE

We meet on the second Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. Our text this year is *Joshua: A Journey of Faith* by Mary Mikhael. We are invited to explore the challenging, sometimes heart-rending, book of Joshua. Pursuing such themes as leadership, the promise of land, the concept of “holy war,” and outsiders becoming insiders, we are learning to find rest in the justice and mercy of God. Come and join in the discussion.

- April 13 – Lesson 7: “God’s Concern for Justice”
- May 11 – Lesson 8: “The Place of Rest”

MARTHA SERVICE GROUP

Members of Martha Service Group gather on the first Wednesday of the month to piece and tie quilts and prepare layettes for families in need in our community. Please join them if you can. On April 7th and May 5th they will meet at the church in room 8 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; bring your lunch and enter through the lower ramp door.

SEARCHERS CHRISTCARE

Members of Searchers ChristCare gather on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 1:30 – 3 p.m. in the church library. New members are welcome.

April 14th, 28th and May 12th –View and discuss the film *Up*.

Up is the story of Carl, a 78 year-old retired balloon salesman, part rascal, part dreamer who is ready for his last chance at high-flying excitement. Tying thousands of balloons to his house, he sets off to the lost world of his childhood dreams. Unbeknownst to him, Russell, an over-eager eight year-old Wilderness Explorer who has never ventured beyond his back yard, is in the wrong place at the wrong time. The world’s most unlikely duo reaches new heights and meets fantastic friends like Dug, a dog with a special collar that allows him to speak, and Kevin, the rare 13 foot tall flightless bird. Stuck together in the wilds of the jungle, Carl realizes that sometimes life’s biggest adventures aren’t the ones you set out for. Oscar winner for best animated feature film, *Up* is storytelling at its best and delivers a wondrous world filled with people and creatures that will leave a lasting impression.

May 26th – TBA

ROSE CITY WRITERS

The Rose City Writers welcome new members to join them at their Friday morning gatherings. Learn new writing techniques; share a bit of your own work; consider new ways to explore poetry. The group gathers on the 2nd and 4th Friday mornings in the church library from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Meetings are April 9th and 23rd, and May 14th and 28th. For more information contact Rae Richen.



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WORSHIP at 10:00 AM
CHURCH SCHOOL SCHEDULE
9:30 am nursery/pre-school
10:20 am Grades K-8
11:20 am Youth and Adult

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- Roberto Del Rio, Custodian
- Gerry Mohr, Sexton

HOLLYWOOD IDOL VI- THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY EDITION



Singing, Dancing, Story-telling, Drama . . . you'll laugh, you may cry, we hope you don't cringe. Hollywood Idol returns on Saturday, April 17th with live entertainment from your fellow church-goers and a great pot-luck meal. The fun begins at 6 p.m. with a meal – bring something to share – followed by karaoke, live music, skits and other entertainment. All ages are invited to participate – either as audience members or performers. Contact our Master of Ceremonies Rick Harlow to schedule your performance (971-563-1742) – the more the merrier!

NEXT BROADCASTER DEADLINE: SUNDAY, MAY 16. COVERS SUMMER EVENTS.

Brief articles may be submitted in person, via e-mail to romalia@rosecityparkpres.org, or by mail and must be in the church office by the end of the day Sunday, May 16.